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THAT "bill of particulars" which TILTON was to file and which we were all so anxious to see, we shall not see after all. One court said he should file it and the court above said he should should not. This game of battledore the thing collapsed and we are done out of that bill of particulars.

tled up, and there is nothing in it. Where millions were expected nothing was found. In life FISK stole -- the his life been prolonged until he was lived rich as he did live and died poor only the instincts of an animal. His financial genius was but the servant the future, thought nothing of it and provided nothing for it. The bullet of STOKES was the time stroke which closed a career that began in the world and ended in it.

THE city public schools will re-open to-morrow morning, in accordance with the directions of the Board of Education. The Common Council suggested, or rather demanded, that the vacation should be extended one month longer, but the Board decided not to act upon the suggestion, and the HERALD endorses the action of the Beard. The dismissal of the schools for one or three months will do nothing toward eradicating the scarlet fever, which, by the way, does not exist to a serious extent in the city. The argument of a correspondent whose communication appears in another column, is correct and covers the whole ground.

THERE is serious apprehension that our new Council will earn the reputation of the Council of ten million speeches. The Councilmen are all serious, earnest workers, but two or three of them appear to be afflicted with a disease called a diarrhoa of words and a constipation of ideas-a little wheat and a mountain of chaffall talk and no cider. We like to hear a Councilman express his views on a measure or proposition ten or fifteen times, and our patience is generally proof against the fiftieth repetition, but when he insists on traveling around the little circle a thousand times during one session, we begin to regret that the audience does not like to hear the gentleman talk as well as he likes to hear himself. The fact is, a man of one idea cannot make himself interesting as a speaker after he fails to present that idea in a new dress. Some of our Councilmen will have to hunt up a new idea or read up in the dictionary if they wish to sustain their reputation as eloquent speakers.

The Effect and the Cause.

The failure of a man of such great learning and eloquence as HEPWORTH | ized their representatives at Madrid to enter into semi-official relations Dixon to obtain an appreciative audience to hear him lecture in San Erancisco, is a subject for more serious cisco, is a subject for more serious south Carolina, was destroyed by fire consideration than it will receive from on Wednesday. Loss, \$300,000, with many of our people. The lecturer little insurance. ought to be, and, when deserving of the name, is, one of the most interesting of teachers. Yet we are daily furnished with the most positive evidence that our people do not take to lectures. In the interior towns, where the population is small, some excuse may be offered for the thinness of the house to which a man who has spent the best part of a lifetime in collecting and classifying information is called upon to speak; but San Francisco is a city-at least 200,000 people reside within her limits - and it seems strange - almost disgraceful - that there, a learned man and a polished speaker should be forced to dismiss his audience because it was so small that he could not speak to it. Yet, that he could not speak to it. Yet, after delivering two of his course of five lectures, Mr. Hepworth Dixon was compelled to do this. Why does was compelled to do this. Why does this fault exist? It is not because San Francisco's people are not sufflciently well informed or educated to appreciate a learned lecture. No city in the world will rate higher in intelligence than the metropolis of the Pacific. The reason must be found somewhere else, and we know of no ation. want of time. Californians have all the time there is, yet they have none for rest, recreation, or even obtaining for rest, recreation, or even obtaining for rest, recreation, or even obtaining the murdered man's wife as long to the mormons, the party was surrounded by Indians. After several days' fighting, Lee induced the emistance of the mormons, the party was surrounded by Indians. After several days' fighting, Lee induced the emistance of the mormons, the party was surrounded by Indians.

structive to quiet rest as it is antagonistic to the acquisition of the solid information offered by an able lecturer of the HEPWORTH DIXON stamp. While this state of things exist, California will remain a poor field for the philosophical and scientific lecturer, and until it passes away, suicides and the mental and physical prostration, that must come when the structure will no longer bear the strain, will be noted everywhere. While we sacrifice everything to money getting, neither lectures will be heard nor the days of steady habits and solid comforts reached.

Contradictory Opinions.

Great men will sometimes commit very silly blunders, and the editor of the San Francisco Bulletin has furnished an example. By way of an apology for an article that he ought to be ashamed of, he gives a legendary yarn about RALEIGH having torn up a manuscript history of England, which he had written, because a dozen or more men disagreed on the facts of not. Then the court below said he a case they had all witnessed. We should and the court above said he do not believe RALEIGH ever did any such foolish thing, but if he did act went on for some weeks, and finally the fool it was no excuse for the editor of the Bulletin to do likewise. He says that General PHIL. SHERIDAN and Congressman PHELPS gives dif-THE JIM FISK estate has been set- ferent statements about affairs in Louisiana; therefore the impartial critic will find himself in a condition of doubt as to know how matters stand popular term is financiered-himself in that State. General SHERIDAN rich. But he lived for the day. Had had been in New Orleans twenty-four hours when he telegraphed to Coneighty years of age he would have gress to pass a law declaring the best men in the State a banditti. This is as he did die. He was an animal, with just what we would expect from PHIL. and it is just what he was sent there to do. If the party in power want of his passions. He knew nothing of any innocent blood shed, they know who to call and send to do it. PHIL. is unfortunately so constituted that his instincts lead him to make war upon innocent people. He won his fame and became a pet of the Administration by burning out the homes of poor women and chlidren in the valley of Virginia. Thousands of women and children became homeless wanderers and perished in the cold or of starvation by his incendiary act. The Administration promoted him for it. When sent out to fight the noble red man of the forest, true to his instinct, he murdered a whole village, including the women and children. The Bulletin would have Congress pass some wholesome laws for Louisiana because SHERIDAN requested to have the best people in that State declared outlaws, and upon this testimony the Bulletin cannot decide who is in the wrong. Mr. PHELPS, a leading member of Congress-a Republican-was sent to New Orleans by the authorities at Washington for the purpose of investigating the affairs of that State Government, and after a searching indishonorable acts or intentions. Indeed, he considers they have been of ute. great service to the government in The New York "Times" on Sheridan. keeping peace and good order. But SHERIDAN, the agent of the Government, wants them declared a banditti. He wants to try them by Military Commission. He says, "Do that, and leave the balance to me." And the Cabinet in solemn conclave at Washington says, no need of further orders about Louisiana-we will leave it to

Telegraphic Brevities.

White League a banditti.

General SHERIDAN; proving conclu-

sively that there was a secret under-

standing between the Cabinet and

SHERIDAN before he went there. They

were to give such orders as he request-

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fear of popular indignation alone pre-

vented the Cabinet from declaring the

Cuban circles in New York are very lively. An expedition is reported as being fitted out. All the great powers have author-

with the new Government. The business part of Orangeburg,

The annual sale of pews in Ply mouth Church on Thursday night, amounted to \$70,000; \$12,000 more

than last year. Negotiations for the reciprocity treaty with the Hawaiian Islands will begin next week, directly between Secretary Fish and Chief Justice Allen, special Hawaiian Commissioner.

The proposition to establish a Mint at Portland, Oregan, has gone by the board—the Senate Finance Committee reported adversely. Sargeant has introduced a bill in

Congress to establish a free "Oriental" College, in connection with the University of California. The Collector of Customs at New Leahy & Co., wealthy dry goods mer-chants, to recover \$200,000, charging

them with frauds on the revenue. in the Treasury, through the unprecedented falling off in the customs reve-

Congressman Schumaker says he is ready to give his testimony regarding Pacific Mail matters whenever required, and expresses much indignation at reports of his having run away to Eu-

Change of School Text Books.

On the sixth inst. the State Board

of Education ordered a change of the principal text books used in the public schools. McGuffy's readers which have been in use for the last four years are to be thrown out to give place to a series of readers got up by BANCROFT & Co., a publishing house in San Francisco. MONTEITH's geography which has been in use six years is substituted by Cornell's. Payson, DUNTON & SCRIBNER'S system of penmanship is thrown out and the Spencerian system adopted. What other changes have been made we are not informed, but the changes known to be made are sufficient to warrant the belief that the book dealers have secured control over a majority of the State Board of Education. The changes we have enumerated will cost the people of the State of California at least \$500,000. The Sacramento Union estimates that the change of readers alone will cost those who purchase school books \$318,000. How paltry and flimsy were the excuses of the Board for imposing this heavy tax on the people may be seen from the statement of DENMAN of San Francisco, who said he was not so much opposed to McGuffey's readers as he was to the house that furnished them (WILSON, HINKLE & Co. of Cincinnati). In order that the people may know who have so boldly defied them and saddled such an enormous tax on the parents and guardians of children, we give the vote on the changing of readers:

Ayes—Allen, Principal of the State Normal School, Santa Clara; Den-man, County Superintendent of San Francisco; Kelly, County Superin-tendent of Sacramento; Kennedy, County Superintendent of Santa Clara, and Lynch, County Superintendent of

Alameda-5. Noes-Booth, Governor; Bolander, State Superintendent; Crawford, County Superintendent of San Joaquin; and McMeans, County Superintendent of

Latest Telegrams. EASTERN.

The President's Policy.

WASHINGTON, January 8th. - The resident will send Congress all the information in his possession regard-ing affairs in the South, and will probably accompany it with a special message. He says his sole purpose is to preserve peace until Congress can declare its policy. Senatorial Contests.

Lansing, Mich., January 8th.—The opponents of Chandler claim that last night's caucus decides nothing. Sixtyseven votes are required to elect, instead of 61, as before stated. TRENTON, N. J., January 8th.—It is now generally admitted that Senator Stockton has the inside track. The Senator left for Washington last night

with a feeling of security.

St. Louis, January 9th.—In Missouri, John S. Phelps and Frank M. Cockrell are the most prominent contestants for the Senatorship, with the chances apparently about even bevestigation he exonerates the White tween them. The railroad candidates League from all or any disloyal or are said to be almost out of the ring, on account of their recent refusal to pay the taxes assessed and other trib-

> NEW YORK, January 8th. — The Times has the following concerning Phil. Sheridan's "banditti order:" "There is no fact justifying this theory; but Sheridan's banditti dispatch could scarcely be warranted under any con-ceivable facts. Nothing like it has ever been seen before under any Constitutional Government. Sheridan could scarcely have shown greater ignorance or disregard of law if he had proposed to the President to declare the Constitution annulled, to disperse Congress, silence all newspapers and proclaim himself Dictator and Sheridan sole minister and chief executioner." The Times denies that the Republican party is responsible for

Sheridan's vagaries. Indignation over Louisiana Affairs. NEW YORK, January 8th.-The call for an indignation meeting here Monday, relative to the military interference in Louisiana, makes a pro-found impression, it being signed by such men as Wm. C. Bryant, Wm. M. Evarts, Wm. B. Duncan, Edward Cooper and others, regardless of party.

A New Election in Louisiana. NEW YORK, January 8th.—A Tri-bune special says that Speaker Blaine and other leading Republicans in the House are working for a new election in Louisiana. It is doubtful if the Senate will recede from its position on

the subject. The Southern Pacific Road. WASHINGTON, January 8th .- The House Pacific Railroad Committee have appointed a sub-committee on the subject of relief to the Southern Pacific Road, as requested by Col. Scott. The sub-committee consists of Snyder, Houghton, Corwin, Wells

Coming to their Seuses. WASHINGTON, January 9th.-There is unusual hesitancy among Republican Congressmen to form judgment can Congressmen to form judgment decisively until fuller facts are received, but nearly everybody concurs in the imbecility of the Kellogg Government and the necessity of some Congressional action in response to the appeal of the Louisiana Conservatives that any cortain basis of settle York has begun suit against James tives that any certain basis of settle-Leahy & Co., wealthy dry goods mer-ment shall be ordered rather than that the present situation shall continue. The tendency of Republican senti-ment is towards ordering a new elec-tion under the provisions substantially of Carpenter's bill.

The Mountain Meadow Massacre in

SALT LAKE, January 5th .- One of John D. Lee's wives, No. 4, gives the following review of the Mountain Meadow massacre: It is claimed by her that these emigrants poisoned a spring at Corn Creek, and an Indian and some stock died therefrom; that rope or elsewhere to avoid an examination.

and some stock died the followed the train, and, notwithstanding all the efforts of the Mormons, the party was the breakfast table devoted to scanning the morning paper. Especially is this true of the people of San Fransisco. They live in an atmosphere of feverish excitement, which is as deNEW TO-DAY.

Quality and Quantity Combined.

Two dollars and fifty cents will buy a box of 160 cigars—the best ever offered at that price; \$20 will buy a box of 100 of the finest imported cigars ever brought to this city. The prices range from \$2 50 to \$20 per 100 to suit every customer. It is worth while to call and have the proof of my assertions.

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Los Angeles, Jan. 10, 1875. jan10-2w

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NOTICE.

A Ta meeting of the Common Council of the city of Los Angeles, held on the 31st day of December, 1874, the Clerk was instructed to give ten days notice, by publication, of the intention of the Common Council to establish the grade of Figueroa street, from Pico to Jefferson streets.

M. KREMER.

jan10-10d Clerk Com. Council.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Common Council of the city of Los Angeles, held December 31, 1874, it was ordered that the different amounts of the as-Spring street, are now due and payable.

M. KREMER,

Clerk of Com. Council. Los Angeles, Jan. 9, 1875. jan 10-10d

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next session of the Common Council they will receive bids for the grading and improving of Alameda street. The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. M. KREMER. Clerk Com. Council. Los Angeles, Jan. 9, 1875. jan10-td

Setter Dogs for Sale.

FOUR THOROUGHBRED ENGLISH R setter dog pups for sale at Slaterbac gun shop, Commercial street. 16-3t

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Lots 1, 2, 3 in block 109. Bellevue Terrace Tract. REFERENCES.

By permission, I refer to Mr. Longstreet, Mr. Ledyard, Mr. Heaton and Dr. Whistler. THOMAS HAMILTON, jan 8-tf At Swigart & Hubers, Main St.

NOTICE

TO STOCKHOLDERS OF THE GRANGE.
CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY—The stock
holders of said company are hereby notified
that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of said company at the hall, over the
Grange Store, in the city of Los Angeles,
State of California, on Thursday, the 28th day
of January, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of such business as may come before
the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN S. THOMPSON,

President.
Los Angeles, January 7, 1875.

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Los Angeles, January 7, 1875. Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 7th, 1875. The Lady who took a pocketbook off Mrs.
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I. B. FERGUSON,
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Cor. Spring and Court Sts.

THREE CHOICE NEW MILCH COWS for sale. Enquire of B. C. Whiting, Dow-ney Block, or at his residence, corner of Main and Adams streets, Los Angeles. jan8-3t†

FOR SALE.—A. House and Lot on Olive street, between 7th and 8th, well improved. Cheap for cash. Enquire of jans-im
On the premises, or at this Office.

WANTED.—Board and Lodging, by a gentleman, in a private family in the vicinity of Los Angeles, where milk is abundant.

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W. H. K.,
jan8-3t
Herald Office.

WARRANTS ON THE GOPHHER AND Squirrel Fund, protested on or before August 16, 1873, are now due and payable at the office of the County Treasurer.

T. E. ROWAN,
County Treasurer.

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FALKENAU & SCHAD

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THE FOLLOWING LOTS

Lot 15 in block 102.

Lots 1, 2, 3 in block 109, Bellevue Terrace Tract.

Lots 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7 in block T.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, block S.

Lots 12, 13, 15, 17, 19 and 20, block L.

Lots 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, block K.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, block Q.

Lots 11 and 12, block J.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, block P.

Lots 12, 13, 15 and 16, block I.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, block O.

Lots 11, 12, 13, block H, Mott Tract.

FRONTING ON FLOWER STREET. Bellevue Terrace Tract.

Lots 9, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, block T.

Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 18, 14, 15 and 16, block Q.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, block V.

Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 18, 14, 15 and 16, block P.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, block U.

Lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21 block O of the Mott Tract.

FRONTING ON OLIVE STREET.

Lots 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 4. Lots 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block 2. Lots 12, 13, 14, 15 and 17 in block 1, Beaudry Lots 5, 7 and 8 in block F. Lots 10, 14, 15 and 16 in block E, in Mott Tract

ity Street. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in block 108, Bellevue Ter-Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in block 108, Believice 161 race Tract.

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Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 in block K.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block J.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 in block I.

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Frontiug on Bunker Hill Ave. & Char-

Lot 3 in block H. Lots 14. 15, 16 and 17 in block E of the Moti

Water will be furnished to all the above lots at the rates fixed by the Water Commissioners, and on the same terms as by the L. A. City Water Co. de22 tf

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NOTICE is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said company, held on the 5th inst., a dividend for 1½ per cent. per month (90 cents per share) was declared for the first six months ending on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1874, on the paid in capital stock of said company.

L. M. HOLT, Sec'y.

January 7, 1875.

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Juvenile and Miscellaneous Books, Plain and Musical Work Boxes, Musical De-canters, Writing Desks, Portfolios, LADIES' AND GENT'S WALLETS, One and a half miles from the Guitars, Violins, Accordeons, Banjos, Concertinas, Flutes, And many other useful articles suitable for

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POSTPONEMENT. A T A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Directors Centinela Land Company January 5, 1875, it was Resolved, That owing to the inability of the surveyor to complete the surveys and prepare the necessary maps of the subdivisions of the Centinela Ranchos, it is expedient to adjourn the sale of the lands of the company from the 18th day of January until the 15th day of Feb-

W. H. J. BROOKS,

N. B.—All the newspapers which have the advertisement of the Centinela for the sale of 18th inst, please copy and make correction in advertisement.

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Jan6-2t†

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

For "Sunday Reading Column" see fourth page.

Several car-loads of oranges were yesterday shipped to San Francisco. Ten cars of freight will be brought

The city public schools will resume work to-morrow morning.

up from Wilmington to-day.

The Hebrew Benevolent Society will meet to-night.

Temperance lecture to-night at Templars' Hall by Rev. Dr. Packard. The "Cantata of Esther" will be given on Tuesday evening, the 19th

The "Band of Hope" will meet this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at Good Tem-

Five car loads of iron were yesterday shipped to Spadra-a significant

The Taber to-morrow morning will bring over a hundred strangers to Los

Thos. H. Garey & Co. yesterday shipped a car-load of orange trees to Sau Francisco. The Masons at Anaheim are pre-paring for a grand ball on the 22nd of February.

It is unlawful to kill deer between the 1st of January and the 1st of July in each year.

The Orizaba leaves Wilmington harbor for San Francisco this morning. Passengers will leave the cars at

The Salvador arrived from San Francisco yesterday morning, and after receiving ores from Panamint left for Panama.

Night before last some sneak-thief burglariously entered a room in the White House and stole a watch and quite a sum of money.

Two farmers, near San Juan Capistrano, attempted the other day to settle a land dispute with hatchets. Both were badly cut.

The whalers at Portugese Bend, in

Laundry, yesterday clipped the cue from a Chinamen, for representing that he was connected with the said to report to the Health Officer city to report to the Health Officer city to report to the Health Officer temperance lecture at Good Templar's laundry. He prefers white labor to the imported article.

Quite a number of ladies and gentlemen, in response to the kind invitation of Dr. Lucky, visited the High School building yesterday afternoon, to inspect the chemical, mechanical and philosophical apparatus lately purchased for the High School through the liberality of our citizens.

To-day at about 3 P. M. Don Miguel Antunes will run his bay horse against Moreno's piebald for a purse of \$100. The race will take place on Dr. Griffin's land, on the road to Arroyo Seco, beyond the river.

Col. B. D. Wilson says that irrigable mesa land is the most valuable in California. At the price of irrigable mesa lands in San Gabriel, twelve miles from Los Angeles, the irrigable mesa lands of Centinla, six miles from the city, are worth \$600,000. Seventy thousand dollars have been offered for 3,000 acres, and \$40,000 for 200 acres. No sales will be made before the auction.

One of the attorneys in the Vasquez case drew up a blank affidavit a few days since, to be presented to the outlaw for his signature. The document was to be used in asking for a continuance of the case, on the grounds inserted in the paper. The saffron-faced little fellow read it carefully, and then, looking into the lawyer's face, blurted out: "I'm a gentleman! I can't swear to that; it's a melange of

A youth of sixteen, Charles Bruff by name, lately started from Reno, Nevada, for Los Angeles, but he had bad luck and landed in the San Francisco calaboose. He started on the trip with \$50; at San Francisco he spent money lavishly, buying everything that struck his fancy, refusing to take change at the bars, and insisting on depositing \$20 as security for an opera-glass hired for a certain occasion. The police there are suspi-cious that he stole the money expended so freely.

In relation to the late sale of the Pacific Mail's coasting steamers, the Railroad, President of the Los Ange-San Fraacisco Market Reporter says: Mr. Kohl, of Hutchinson, Kohl & Co., who lately purchased the entire fleet of coasting steamers from the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, represents solid men in San Francisco. The agency will be offered to B. F. Hartshorne, formerly of the California Steamship Company, and Mr. Taylor, for many years Cashier of the Pacific Mail Company. We hail this move-Mail Company. We hail this move-ment as a good sign, indicating a disposition on the part of the Mail Company to haul some of its irons out of the fire, and devote more attention to those which remain. The steamers sold were the Mohongo, Pacific, Orizaba, Senator, California and Gipsy, and the aggregate price paid was in the neighborhood of half a million

By the steamer Wm. Taber, due at Wilmington harbor to-morrow mornning, the following parties will arrive from San Francisco: A Hare, Charles Stoff, V A Mehary and wife, F Elliott, C H Bradford, J D Lynch, J B Pierce, T Means and wife, N P Perine, N Reed, D M Smith, Miss Larity, Helen Smith, N C Sheckles and wife, T B Emery, J Lankershim, S Lankershim, T Springer, J R Duff, Oliver Canfill, J O Newman, H Schroeder, W S Hosmer, T M Meikle, Thos Kelly, J Rudolopp, T W Traber. D Sanderson, T M from San Francisco: A Hare, Charles mer, T M Meikle, Thos Kelly, J Rudolopp, T W Traber, D Sanderson, T M Myrick, T H Smith, A Kenaka, Wm Jones and wife, G C Potter, B Dunbar, W W Rose, Wm Craby, B Dun and wife, T W Ackerman, J C Horgen, T Porter, Mrs C Kleaber, W Sawyer and wife, John Thomas, J H Boyd, W H Wakefield, M Heck, G W Orr, J H Doolittle, Mrs Jonountine.

Los Angeles and Independence Railroad.

EDITOR HERALD: It is my opinion you have overlooked one of the chief incentives for taking stock in the L. A. & I. R. R. If properly conducted (and I have no doubt it will be, for as yet there are no schemers in it) it will prove the most lucrative investment ever presented to this people.

THE BUILDING Of seventy miles of road is all that the stockholders will ever be called upon to build, provided the road starts from this city, and if it starts from Rubottom's forty miles is all that will be required. Once the road reaches beyond Cajon Pass it will draw the trade from two hundred miles beyond, and this will be immense.

THE EARNINGS Of the road alone will build it to any point beyond, perhaps not as fast as it could be laid down, but fast enough to secure all the trade as it would develop and accumulate on the route. The most profitable road we know of in the United States is the Texas Central, running from Heuston to Dallas. The original stockholders now own

this road. THEY WERE NEVER CALLED ON FOR A DOLLAR

After the first fifty miles of this road were completed. It is now between three and four hundred miles long, out of debt and the stock is worth four or five times its original cost. Every man that held on to his stock is now rich. Men who were able to take only a few hundred dollars stock at that time have now a sufficient income to support their families handsomely. So much for an honestly built railroad. This is just what we want here, and just what we believe we have, if we know the men who now have control of this enterprise—and we think we do. THEY ARE ABOVE ALL DIRTY TRICK-

It is true they are rich, but they have made their money by fair and honorable dealing, and would rather help a poor man to make a hundred dollars than to cheat him out of a thousand. Then as a profitabe investment the people should all take hold of it. I will not now speak of the advantages it will be to trade and the building up of the country. OLD TEXAN.

Scarlet Fever.

There is a very little sprinkle of scarlet fever in this city which has been lingering around for several M. Campbell, Pastor. months. The City Council have requested the public schools to prolong their vacation for one month in order ten days, have secured 250 barrels of to prevent its spreading. This is comoil. Twenty-one men are engaged in mendable; but it will do no good un- ment of the Lord's Supper will be adhe work.

D. T. Mooney, of the Occidental less the churches also suspend their Sunday Schools, and it would be well Rev. C. T. Packard. Paster of the lord's Supper will be administered after the morning service. This is the tenth murder in that section in the lord's Supper will be administered after the morning service. This is the tenth murder in that section is the lord's Supper will be administered after the morning service. every case under their care and require the families where there is a case of this disease to have their washing done at home during the time the disease is in the family and for three weeks thereafter, and make it the duty of the Health Officer to compel them to do it or pay a penalty. There is but little scarlet fever now, and by united effort upon the part of all the citizens it may be wiped out of the city in a very short time. But simply stopping the schools, and permitting other gatherings, will do no good.

Personal.

Rev. Father Duran leaves to-day for San Benito county, to take charge of congregation.

W. P. McDonald, of Los Angeles county, was granted a "life diploma" at the late meeting of the State Board of Education.

A postoffice has been established at Machado, with Dionisio Saenz as Postmaster.

J. Strelitz, the popular merchant tailor, will leave to-day for San Francisco to purchase new stock. A. W. Timm, Esq., of San Pedeo, was in the city yesterday. He reports that Gen. Boschke has everything

ready for dredging and will commence work in earnest in about one week. C. Jacoby Esq., the genial editor of the Sued Colifornische Post, leaves to-day on the Orizaba, to visit friends in

Santa Barbara. A pleasant trip to Jonathan Tibbett, of El Monte, has just returned from Arizona. He pre-dicts big times in the Wallapi mines

this season. The Mirror pays the following deserved tribute to F. P. F. Temple Esq., one of our most worthy and enterprising citizens: Fisher & Thatcher have been appointed time keepers for the Los An-

geles Division of the Southern Pacific Railroad. They will put up a chronometer at the depot to-morrow. Mr. F. P. F. Temple, President of the Centinela Land Company, President of the Inyo and Independence les and Pacific Railroad, is one of California's great bankers. He is amiable, kind, charitable and popular. Instances of his goodness of heart are common. On one occasion a poor immigrant applied to Mr. Temple for a loan. The banker asked for his security. The immigrant pointed to his wife and children in the street. Mr. Temple, moved with pity, loaned the immigrant all the money asked for.

The immigrant, thus started, prospered and paid the loan. The people of Los Angeles valley are excellent patrons of jewelry establishments and they are contentwith nothing but the best material, made up in the best style of the art. Light, eastern made chains, rings and pins find little favor in the eyes of Los Angeles. For this reason order work is an important business of itself in this city. The popular jewelry firm of Fisher & Thatcher is doing an im-

incorporation were filed in the office Mexican tried to shoot the police-

[Written for the HERALD.] LINES INSCRIBED TO LOVED ONES LEFT BEHIND.

BY S. P. SMITH.

When evening's shades around me fall, Then most I think of thee; With memory I recall the tones

Of witching melody Which from loved lips so sweetly fell Upon my list'ning ear, Ere I was parted from the friends My heart doth hold so dear!

My lot is now with strangers cast; No dear familiar voice Doth greet me in the twilight hour, To make my heart reloice. But memory is most busy there. And in faucy I can hear The voices of those absent friends My heart doth hold so dear. OMORO AL

Some light and cheerful lay; But sadness-mingles in the strain-My thoughts are far away. And, ere I can recall them hence Down drops the falling tear-Because I do not meet the friends My heart doth held so dear.

I strive to rouse myself and sing

Speed swiftly on, oh! wheels of time! And hasten on that day, When I may meet those friends again. Though now so far away. Then loving words and joyous smiles My heart once more shall cheer, When I shall clasp the hands of those

Religious Services To-Day.

Dear friends my heart holds dear.

Los Angeles, Cal., January, 1875.

M. E. Church South, Rev. A. M Campbell Pastor. Services will be held at Grange Hall, Main street, today at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday School at 12.30 P. M. The subject for both services to-day is, "Godliness Profitable in all Things."

The Rev. Wm. H. Hill will preach in the Episcopal Church to-day at 11 and 7 o'clock. Sunday School and Bible Class will meet at 12:30. Lecture in the evening on the "Prodigal Son at Home," being the first of a series upon the parable of the Prodigal Son. Seats free and all invited to be present.

Rev. I. C. Curtis will preach a funeral sermon at the Baptist Church, Spring street (German Chapel) to-day (Sunday) at 11 o'clock A. M. Also preaching at 3 o'clock P. M. All are cordially invited.

Preaching in the M. E. Church, Fort street, at 11 A. M. Sunday School at 12:30. No service in the evening. J.

The public services of the Presbyterian Church, conducted by Rev. A. F. White, LL. D. will be held in the Good Templar's Hall at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7 in the evening. The Sacra-Rev. C. T. Packard, Pastor of the Congregational Church, New High

Disciples of Christ worship in the Court House. Prof. G. W. Linton will deliver a discourse at 11 o'clock. Subject, "What is conversion?" Sunday School at 10 o'clock. The public are cordially invited.

The second of the series of monthly Sunday evening temperance lectures will be delivered at Templar's Hall this evening, by Rev. Mr. Packard. The success attending the first lecture insures a large attendance.

The Red-Handed Vasquez.

The examination of witnesses in the Vasquez trial, on the part of the prosecution, closed on Friday night. Yesterday the evidence for the defense commenced. Vasquez was put on the stand and testified that Leiva was the prime mover in the Tres Pinos robbery; that he did not fire a single shot and did all in his power to prevent any | night. murder. The arguments in the case will consume the entire session on Monday. The evidence against Vasquez is very strong. A man named Sherer positively identified the bandit as the man who shot Davidson. Anton Leiva, one of Vasquez's lieutenants, swore that Vasquez had planned the robbery and gave orders to shoot all who resisted; that Vasquez shot Davidson through a door; and that he (Vasquez), when the spoils were divided, boasted that he had killed two men at Tres Pinos.

Grange Installation.

Yesterday Los Angeles Grange, No. 36, of the Patrons of Husbandry, installed the following named persons as officers for the ensuing year:

Thos. A. Garey, Worthy Master; Capt. J. Q. A. Stanley, Worthy Over-seer; S. A. Waldron, Worthy Secretary; J. S. Thompson, Worthy Secretary; J. S. Thompson, Worthy Lecturer; J. S. Stewart, Worthy Chaplain; Chas. H. Hass, Worthy Treasurer; N. S. Montague, Worthy Steward; A. T. Garey, Assistant, Worthy Stewardess; Mrs. S. S. Huss, Worthy Stewardess; Mrs. S. S. Huss, Worthy Stewardess; Mrs. S. A. Stepley, Green, Miss. F. Mrs. J. Q. A. Stanley, Ceres; Miss E. A Graves, Pomona; Miss Bell Lewis,

New Dress Making Establishment.

Mrs. F. T. Hall, an experienced dress maker from the East, has taken charge of the Pioneer dress making establishment on Commercial street. The ladies of Los Angeles can rest assured that all work at this establishment will be fashionably and neatly done and delivered on the day promised. Mrs. Hall lately made a bridal trosseau for a young lady in Anaheim, that was pronouncd the finest work ever done in this section.

Yesterday Judge Gray fined Blanco, the Frenchman who beat a brother countryman on the previous night, \$50-which he paid in preference to passing 50 days in the county jail. Lievi, the man who received the battery, was in Court, with a very disfigured countenance.

Last night Officer Bilderrain arrested a Mexican, named Sajuaritta, for Yesterday the following articles of firing off his pistol on the plaza. The man, but the latter was too quick for

Burglars have been operating about | eight miles south of the city. On Friday several houses were broken into and an old woman forced, at the pistol's mouth, to give up her money.

A Story and the Facts.

The San Francisco Chronicle tells this story:

A woman of fine appearance and fashionably dressed, carrying in her arms a three-months-old baby girl, went on board the Wm. Taber, prior to her departure for ports of Southern California on her last trip. Before the steamer started the lady made some excuse to go ashore, and asked the purser if he would care for the child while she was absent a few minutes. He consented to do so, and the infant was snugly wrapped up and deposited on the sofa in his room. The mother did not return, and the steamer sailed with the abandoned waif, which was subsequently adopted by a family residing at one of the ports where the Taber touches.

This story is correct, with the following exceptions: The child was three years of age. It was sent down TONN I OTS to the steamer by the Sisters, with whom it had been left, in charge of a woman, who entrusted it with the stewardess, but gave the wrong ad- 5, 10, 20 and 40 Acre Farms, dress, saying the child's mother was in Santa Barbara, when she should have said Los Angeles. No one calling for the child at Santa Barbara, a Monday, Feb. 15, 1875 lady on board brought it to this city, where, after several days, the mother was found out and received her child, which she had been anxiously looking for during the week. These are the facts and, as will be seen, they are slightly different from the Chronicle's story.

Neighborhood Items.

An Indian, a deer hunter named José, was murdered by a brother red man, a few days ago, near San Diego. San Diego wants a military post reestablished there; also "military protection" from Indian desperadoes and murderers.

The Bear valley mining section, near San Bernardino, it looming up in importance. A big rush is expected this Spring, at least two thousand strong.

A Mexican named Jaramillo, charged with murder, has just been acquitted at San Bernardino. The Mexican population had a big jollification over the result.

The rates on the Military Telegraph Line, from San Diego to the Govern-ment posts in Arizona, are the lowest in the United States. A message of one hundred words can be sent to any point in Arizona for \$2 50 in currency.

A horrible murder was lately committed at Campo, San Diego county, on the San Diego and Yuma road. A man named Wm. Andrews was assaulted in his house by persons un-known; his skull fractured and his throat cut. He lived three days, all alone, without bedding or fire.

The following is a list of the letters held for postage in the Los Angeles Postoffice, Janu

Mrs. Rosa Wilimann, Elgin, III.
S. S. Turner, San Bernardino.
Chas. Fay, Clayquta, W. T.
A. Cerf, Oakland.
John Crosby, City.
Hon. H. G. Blesdal, Virginia City, Nev.
Robert Betebener, San Francisco.
James Brooks, San Rernardino.
Willie Healy, San Francisco.
Miss Smith, San Jose.
Mrs. Smith, San Jose.
Mrs. Smith, San Jose.
Richard McCreary, Tomales, Warren county,
California.
J. Cambet, North San Diego.

Mrs. Rosa Willmann, Elgin, Ill.

H. K. W. BENT, P. M.

The best imported eigar for 25 cts. the best imported cigar, three for 50 cts.; the best bit eigar in the city; the best box of cigars for \$1 50-at the Palace Saloon eigar stand. j3:1m

If you want the best eigars, tobacco eigarretas, etc., get them at the Palace Saloon cigar stand, where the Lest in the city can always be found, day and night. j3:1w

Agency Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company. Assets, \$21,000,-000. Agency State Investment Insurance Company, Fire and Marine. Assets, \$330,000, at Brodrick's Book Store, near the Postoffice.

Special Notices.

Moore's Restaurant, on Commercial street Moore's Restaurant, on Commercial street, is the proper place to go for a good meal, with a good cup of coffee or tea to drink with it.—
There is probably no restaurant on the Pacific coast where so many of the substantials and so many of the luxuries may be had for 25 ets. Don't forget the place—Moore's Restaurant, Commercial street. Private eating rooms have been nearly litted up for the accommodation of ladies.

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For passage or packages, enquire of F. Weber, or corner of Aliso and Alameda streets.
nov2ltf The tide of immigration is steadily set ting in, and the first thing eastern people do is to throw away their New York Hats and buy a new one of DESMOND. They say there is no comparison between the two. For bill posting, distribution of circulars, programmes, cards, election announcements. eig. leave orders with R. S. Waiker, the only and regular Bill Poster in the city. Office a the Star office, or orders may be left at any of the printing offices.

NOTICE.

A PPLICATION will be made at the next session of the Common Council-of the city of Los Angeles, to be held Thursday, January 14, 1875 for a quit claim deed to Cayetano Apablasa of the following described tracts of land in the said city. First: Commencing at the common corner of M. Keller and C. Apablasa on the easterly line of Alameda street; said point of beginning being 674 feet from the crossing of the northerly line of Aliso street with Alameda street, and running thence, magnetic course, north 3° west 1 66-100 chains, more or less, to the southwest corner of the fence of the Sisters of Charity; thence north 84½° east 1 86-100 chains along the fence and line of the land of the Sisters of Charity to the southeast corner of said land; thence north 12¾° east 3 18-100 chains, more or less, along the fence of the Sisters of Charity to northerly line of Apablasa's lot, adjoining the land of the Sisters of Charity; thence along the dividing line between Apablasa and the Sisters, north 86° east 12 32-100 chains; thence south 14½° west 3 35-100 chains; thence north 81¼° east along the land of M. Keller 5 12-100 chains; thence north 10° west 2 51-100 chains to place of beginning, containing 5 66-100 acres. Second: Commencing at the common corner of T. P. Campbell and Cayetano Apablasa on the easterly side of Upper Main street; said point of beginning being north 23½° east 2 13-100 chains; thence south 55½° east 171-100 chains; thence south 55½° east 95½. Hinks; thence north 55½° east 171-100 chains; thence south 55½° east 171-100 chains; thence south 55½° east 171-100 chains; thence south 55½° east 95½. Hinks; thence north 55½° west 1 50-100 chains to place of beginning. The abstract of title, maps and petition are on file in the office of the Clerk of said Council, with whom, all persons interested, must file their objections, if any they have, in writing, at least one day before the first session of said Council

Cierk of Common Council. Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 8, 1875. jan10-1w.

CENTINELA

SIX MILES FROM LOS ANGELES.

The Home of the Orange and the Lemon.

AUCTION SALE

WILL COMMENCE ON

AT 12 O'CLOCK M., AND CONTINUE

FIVE DAYS.

The sale will take place on the Rancho Parties desiring to purchase SHOULD BE ON THE GROUND a few days prior to the sale, in order to EXAMINE THE PROPERTY. Title.

UNITED STATES PATENT.

Situation. "Centinela," with the addition of the "Sau-sal Redondo," contains 25,000 acres. The boundary of the Rancho commences three and a half miles from the city limits of Los Angeles, and extends to the Pacific Ocean.

Topography.

"Centinela" is made up of one broad, level, fertile valley of over twenty thousand acres, and beautiful fertile rolling hills near the Soil.

The soil is an exceedingly fertile loam, and is, without exception, the richest and most productive in Southern California. Its vicintity to the ocean insures a crop without irriga-tion. Excellent wheet has been raised for the last two years upon the hills adjoining the ocean. This wheat field contains 1,000 acres and covers the lightest soil upon the Rancho. There is no alkali or barren land.

Semi-Tropical Fruits.

There are a few bearing orange and lime trees upon the Centinela, and the fruit they produce is of the largest and finest quality. There is an orchard containing 6,000 orange There is an orenard containing 6,000 orange trees three years old, and 1,700 almond, lime and lemon trees. The almond, lime and lemon trees will bear fruit in 1875. The orange trees will bear in five years. There are 7,000 three-year-old orange trees in the nursery near the orchard. Fig., pepper and gum trees grow without irrigation. The entire orchard can be taken care of by three men with chard can be taken care of by three men with six horses. The orchard will be kept undi-vided by the company to save the expense of cach shareholder having a few trees to take care of. Each share will entitle the owner to about 15 trees in the orchard and about the same number in the nursery. The almond, lime and lemon trees will yield an immediate return. In five years each orange tree will produce \$20 per annum, or \$300 per share for those now planted. There are flowers in the garden in bloom every day in the yea

Sheep. After the lambing season in January the flock of sheep will number about 14,000 and they will be kept undivided, to save expenses to the shareholders. This will give about thirty sheep to each share. The sheep will produce, in increase and wool, over \$2 each yearly, over expenses. They will be grazed upon outlying and unsold lands of the company. The "no fence" law is in force in Los Angeles county, to supply every lot with crystal, cool, sweet water.

The climate of the Centinela is, without exception, the finest and most equable in the world. It varies but little throughout the year. The mean temperature is about 60 deg. In Winter and rises but little above 60 deg. in Summer. You sleep under one pair of blankets and with your bed-room window open eyery night in the year.

Agriculture.

The soil of the Centinela is admirably adapted for all kinds of grain, vegetables and fruit.

Water.

The Centinela creek rises upon the rancho and runs through the northern portion of the tract. It affords an abundance of clear spring water. The source of the Centinela creek-consists of several natural artesian springs, showing that artesian water can be obtained by boring.

A square mile is laid off at an eligible point on the tract, with lots 25x140; avenue 100 feet and streets 80 feet wide.

The Town.

A stream of water can be brought in so as o supply every lot with crystal, cool, sweet Provision will be made for a College and A large lot will be set apart for each religious denomination. A block will also be given for the erection of a large hall by the different Fraternal, Grange and Temperance Societies

STOCK-PIATIFICATE

Parties desiring to visit the land should take steamer from San Francisco to Los An-geles; fare, \$12. By inquiring at Temple & Workman's Bank, in Los Angeles, they will be directed to the Rancho.

Apply to Wm. H. MARTIN.

General Agent California Immigrant Union 534 California street, San Francisco, bet. Montgomery streets; to TEMPLE & WORKMAN, Bankers, or Gen. SHIELDS, Los Angeles; or O. L. ABBOTT, Corresponding Secretary State Grange Immigrant Aid Association, Santa Barbara

P. S .- A second sale will take place on the Rancho, commencing on MONDAY, the 8th of March, 1875.

Further information will be furnished by the officers and Directors of the Centinela Land Company of Los Angeles, who are: F. P. F.TEMPLE, President; F. P. HOWARD, Vice-President; J. S. SLAUSON, Los Angeles County Bank, Treasurer; W. H. J. BROOKS, Secretary; J. M. GRIFFITH, of Griffith, Lynch & Co., Los Angeles; General J. H. SHIELDS, Lot Angeles; O. W. CHILDS, Los Angeles; D. FREEMAN, on the Rancho. de2 W. H. J. BROOKS, Secretary.

ENDORSEMENT OF THE HON. J. ROSS BROWNE

SAN FRANCISCO, November 28, 1874.

WM. H. MARTIN, General Agent California Immigrant Union—Dear Sir:—I have just visited the "Centinela and Sausal Redondo" Rancho, and driven over the land described in your advertisement. With all my experience in the southern part of California, I have seen nothing to surpass this tractin fertility of soil, beauty of location, and advantage of easy access and salubrity of climate. For purposes of colonization, I know of no large body of land so near a growing commercial centre, in Calicolonization, I know of no large body of land so near a growing commercial centre, in California or elsewhere, to equal it. No part of it is unavailable for farms, orehards or homesteads. It can be subdivided into lots ranging from five acres to several hundred acres and every acre of it can be made productive. Water is abundant and convenient. The land is subject to easy irrigation; and I can vouch for the fact that it will produce anything that flourishes in Los Angeles or Santa Barbara counties. It is my confident opinion that they value of shares in this magnificent tract will be quadrupled within two years—such is the extraordinary influx of immigration to the vicinity of Los Angeles at the present time.

Wishing you success in your undertaking, I am, very truly yours, J. Ross Browns.

To form of Los Angeles conting.

H. K. S. O'MELVENY,

Attest:

Probate Judge.

A. W. POTTS, Clerk.

By E. H. OWEN, Deputy.

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NOTICE

HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHALE Is HEREBY GIVEN THAT CHALES Lindly, Administrator of the estate of Susan A. E. McClellan, has filed his final account and a petition for final settlement and distribution of said estate, which is now ready for such distribution; and the same will be heared and determined on February 8th. 1875, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court room of Los Angeles county. All persons interested with the motice accordingly.

H. K. S. O'MELVENY.

Attest: Probate Judge.

NOTICE.

THE SAN PEDRO IRRIGATING COM-compton, Los Angeles county, State of Cali-fornia. fornia.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors held on the 16th day of December, 1874, an assessment of eight and one-third per cent, upon the capital stock, the same being Twenty-five Dollars per share, was levied upon the capital stock of said corporation, payable on or before the 15th Day of January, 1875,

To J. J. Morton, Secretary of said corporation at his office in Compton, said county and State.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the said 15th day of January, 1875, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on the 6th day of February, 1875, pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

J. J. MORTON, Secretary.

Compton, Los Angeles Co., State of Californ Dec. 16, 1871. del8 1d STORAGE

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Which eye hath never seen.

Visions come and go: Shapes of resplendant beauty 'round me

throng.

From angel lips I seem to hear the flow
Of soft and holy song.

eyes? When airs from Paradise refresh my brow

Give me now my lyre; I feel the stirrings of a gift divine.* Within my bosom glows unearthly fire, Lit by no skill of mine.

Father Sewell and the Collection.

from the meeting, but his heart was

there. His feet would have carried

him down to the chapel two hours be-

fore, only duty forbade. As soon,

however, as he had concluded his

business, off the old gentleman

walked, saying to himself: "I'm afraid I shall be too late, I shall at

home mission work, and the collec-

tion had just been made when the old

sure, close the meeting by offering

prayer for God's blessing on the pro-

Father Sewell stood up but he did

not pray. He did not shut his eyes;

but, on the contrary, seemed looking for something. He did not clasp his hands, but put them into his pockets, and fumbled there with much perse-

"I am afraid," said the pastor "that my brother did not understand me.

Friend Sewell, I did not ask you to

give, but to pray."

"Ay, ay," said the straightforward, bluff speaker, "but I could not pray till I had given. It would be hypocrisy to ask a blessing on that which I

"Be ye warned and be ye filled" to a

eternal God is an honor so great that none but brutish worldlings will de-

cline it. If we are liberal in serving

Tithes.

might say, incapable of being abro-

gated so long as men shall receive

earthly gifts from God. Of all that

they have His tithe must be rendered

to Him, or in so far and in so much He

is forgotten: of the skill and of the

treasure, of the strength and of the mind, of the time and of the toil, of-

fering must be made reverently; and

if there be any difference between the Levitical and the Christian offering,

it is that the latter may be so much wider in its range, as it is less typical in its meaning, as it is thankful in-stead of sacriligical. There can be no

excuse accepted because the Deity does

no visibly dwell in His temple; if He is invisible it is only through our fail-

MISCELLANEOUS.

us.—Spurgeon.

did not think worth giving to."

ceedings of this evening."

and the work in hand!"

He could not help being absent

The earth in darkness lies

Is it nothing now,

- OF THE -When Heaven is opening on my sightless In a purer clime My being fills with rapture; waves of thought Roll in upon my spirit; strains sublime Break over me unsought.

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gentleman entered, and the deacon had brought all the plates into the We are bound to sell the stock and are con table-pew. The pastor no sooner caught sight of his aged friend than "Our friend Mr. Sewell, will, I am

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Dissolution of Co-Partnership. THE PARTNERSHIP LATELY EXISTing between the undersigned, Prosper
Philip and W. A. Mattkews, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent.

PROSPER PHILIP,
W. A. MATHEWS.
Los, Angeles, Dec. 31, 1874.

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Assessment Notice. RANGE CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY of Los Angeles—Location of Principal place of business: Los Angeles, California. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors held in this city on the 31st day of July, 1874, an assessment (No. 1) of FIVE DOLLARS PER SHARE was levied upon the Capital Stock of said Company, payable immediately, in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the Company, No. 41 Temple Block, Los Angeles, California. Any stock upon which this Assessment shall remain unpaid on the 1st day of September, 1874, will be declared delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the

16th day of September, 1874, To pay delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

By order of the Board.

L. M. HOLT, Secretary.

Office: No. 41 Temple Block, Los Angeles California.

Dated July 31, 1874.

Again Postponed. At a regular meeting of the Board, held December 4th, 1874, the time at which the payment of the above assessment became delinquent, was again postponed to January 2d, 1875.

L. M. HOLT,

dec10tf Dissolution of Copartnership,

THE PARTNERSHIP LATELY EXIST-ing between the undersigned, Carl Her-berger and Jacob Johannsen, is hereby dis-solved by mutual consent. CARL HERBERGER. JACOB JOHANNSEN. This Los Angeles, December 2, 1874.

The undersigned, J. Johannsen, W. F. Grosser and H. Grosser, have formed a partner-nership in the business of uphoistering and cabinet making. As successors to the late firm of Herberger & Johannsen we will settle the debts and collect the credits of the late firm.

JACOB JOHANNSEN.

WM. F. GROSSER.

HERMAN GROSSER.

This Los Angeles, December 2, 1874.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Reyes Romero has filed with the Clerk of the Common Council his petition for obtaining a title to the land in his possession, situate on Upper Main street, adjoining the lots of Abbott and Garcia, having a front of 157 feet on Main street and running back 177 feet to New High street, being lot 4 and part of lot 3 in block 33, Ord's survey. See map made by Wm. Moore, City Surveyor, Dec. 23, 1874. Said petitioner flied at the same time a map and description of the land prayed for.

All parties interested therein are hereby notified to file their objections, if any they have, in writing, with the Clerk of the Common Council at least one day before the regular session of that honorable body next after the first publication of this notice.

M. KREMER,

Clerk of the Com. Council.

Los Angeles, Dec. 30, 1874.

NOTICE.

THE LOS ANGELES CITY AND COUNTY

Publishing and Printing Company; principal place of business being Los Angeles, Los Angeles county, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors held on the 22d day of December, 1874, an assessment of 60 per cent. on the capital stock of said company, being sixty dollars per share, was levied on the capital stock of said company; that forty per cent. be payable immediately to the Treasurer of said company, F. P. F. Temple, at the Banking House of Temple & Workman, Los Angeles City; that of the remaining twenty per cent. there shall be paid to said Treasurer at said place the sum of ten per cent. on the 4th day of January 1875, and ten per cent. on the 1lth day of January 1875, and ten per cent. on the 1lth day of January 1875, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, at the Herald office in Los Angeles City, and unless payment is made will be sold on the 25th day of February, 1875, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

Dated Los Angeles. Dec. 22d, 1874. penses of sale.
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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

SUMMONS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SEVenteenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles.—Pauline Hannau, plaintiff, against Michael Hannau, defendant. Action brought in the District Court of the 17th Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, and the complaint filed in said county of Los Angeles, in the oilice of the Clerk of said District Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to M. Hannau defendant: You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial

against you by the above-named plaintiff in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or, if served out of this county, but in this District, within twenty days; otherwise, within forty days, or judgment by default will be taken against, you according to the prayer within forty days, or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court for the dissolution of the bonds of matrimony between plaintiff and defend-ant and for general relief. Reference is had to complaint for particulars.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will cause your default to be entered and will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the com-

Given under my hand and the seal

SEAL of the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State
of California, in and for the county
of Los Angeles, this 28th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-

dred and seventy-four.

A. W. POTTS, Clerk,
By C. W. GOULD, Deputy Clerk.

SUMMONS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SEV-enteenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Ange-les—Thomas W. Irvin, plaintiff, against Adriles—Thomas W, Irvin, plaintiff, against Adriann Irvin, defendant. Action brought in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, and the complaint filed in said county of Los Angeles, in the office of the Clerk of said District Court.

The people of the State of California send greeting to Adriann Irvin defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or, if served out of this the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or, if served out of this county, but in this District, within twenty days; otherwise, within forty days—or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court that the bonds of matrimony between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved. Reference is had to complaint for particulars.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will cause above required, the said plaintiff will cause your default to be entered and will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the

complaint.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the District Court of the Seventeenth Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the county of Los Angeles, this 31st day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

By C. W. GOULD, Deputy Clerk.

Stephen M. White, Attorney at Law. 15 Downey's Block, Los Angeles.

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Probate Notice.

IN THE PROBATE COURT, State of California, County of Los Angeles.—In the Matter of the Estate of ALFREDO VALENZUELA, Deceased. Pursuant to an order of this Court made this day, notice is hereby given that Mouday, the 18th day of January, A. D., 1875, at 9 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the Court Room of this Court, in the County of Los Angeles, has been appointed for hearing the application of Felipe Nerio Valenzuela, praying that a document now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Alfredo Valenzuela, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same.

January 4th, 1875.

Los Angeles immigration and Land Co-operative Association.—Location of principal place of business, Los Angeles Carifornia.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said Association heid in this city on the 21st day of December, 1874, an assessment (No. 1) of TWO DØLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS PER SHARE was levied upon the capital stock of said Association, payable immediately in United States gold coin to the Secretary at his office, No. 1½ Spring street, Los Angeles, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 22d day of January, 1875, will be declared delinquentand will be advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on the

Assessment Notice.

CO-OPERATIVE NURSERY AND FRUIT Company of Los Angeles county. -- Location of principal place of business, Los Angeles, California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Francis P. Atkinson, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that Charles J. Ellis, the Administrator of the estate of Francis P. Atkinson, deceased, has filed in the Probate Court of the county of Los Angeles, State of California, his final account as such Administrator. Said account is presented for final settlement and said estate is ready for distribution.

Whereupon the Judge of said Court has appointed the 28th day of December, A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the court-room of said Court, as the time and place for the settlement of said account and the distribution of said estate.

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Witness my hand and official seal this 4th day of December, 1874. A. W. POTTS, Clerk. By E. H. OWEN, Deputy.

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By E. H. Owen, Deputy. nv28 w5t

January 4th, 1875.

[Seal.]

By E. H. Owen, Deputy: d5-10t ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

6th Day of February, 1875, To pay delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

L. M. HOLT, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., December 21, 1874.

lion of principal place of business, Los Angeles. California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors held in this city on the 28th day of December.1874, an assessment (No.2) of ONE DOLLAR FER SHARE was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the 1st day of January, 1875, in United States gold coin, to the Secretary at the office of the Company, No. U/2 Spring street, Los Angeles, California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 1st day of February, 1875, will be declared delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1875, to pay delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

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In witness whereof we have hereunto affixed our hands and seals this fourth day of December, 1874.